

Message Text

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE POSS DUPE

PAGE 01 OSLO 00850 281103Z

45

ACTION SWF-02

INFO OCT-01 EUR-25 ISO-00 IO-14 AGR-20 EB-11 AID-20 OIC-04

L-03 H-03 PA-04 PRS-01 USIA-15 TAR-02 COA-02 OMB-01

CIEP-02 STR-08 NSC-10 SS-20 SPC-03 TRSE-00 COME-00

DRC-01 /172 W

----- 065470

R 281015Z FEB 74

FM AMEMBASSY OSLO

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 7880

INFO AMEMBASSY COPENHAGEN

AMEMBASSY HELSINKI

AMEMBASSY STOCKHOLM

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE OSLO 850

EO 11652: N/A

TAGS: AORG EAGR UN FAO NO

SUBJECT: WORLD FOOD CONFERENCE--NORWEGIAN THOUGHTS ON FIRST PREPCOM

REF: (A) STATE 10697; (B) OSLO 513; (C) STATE 34457

1. EMBOFF DISCUSSED FIRST PREPCOM OF WFC WITH THORVIK, A MEMBER OF AAGE BOTHNER'S STAFF AND DREW UPON MATERIAL PRESENTED IN REF C. THE NORWEGIANS ARE PLEASED BY THE ABSENCE OF RHETORIC AND MELO-DRAMATICS AT THE PREPCOM AND HOPE FUTURE PREPCOMS AND THE WFC WILL BE CONDUCTED AS EFFECTIVELY.

2. NORWAY WILL PROBABLY CALL FOR GREATER PREPCOM ATTENTION TO "IMPROVED AVAILABILITY AGRICULTURAL INPUTS (MAINLY FERTILIZERS)" (PARA 5, REF C) AND WILL REITERATE DESIRE TO HAVE FISH INCLUDED TO LIST OF MAJOR FOODS. THE NORWEGIANS STRONGLY BELIEVE THAT THE TRADE IN FOOD ISSUE CANNOT BE LEFT SOLELY FOR MTN IF SUBSTANTIVE PROGRESS AT PREPCOMS IS DESIRED. ACCORDING TO THORVIK, THERE WAS A MOTION AT FIRST PREPCOM TO INCORPORATE ITEMS 3 AND 5 OF THE U.N. PROVISIONAL AGENDA BUT IT WAS FINALLY AGREED TO ADDRESS THE

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

PAGE 02 OSLO 00850 281103Z

ITEMS SEPARATELY. THE NORWEGIANS CONCUR THAT ITEM 5 DEALING WITH TRADE IS TOO SIGNIFICANT TO BE IGNORED OR WATERED-DOWN.

3. THE EMBASSY HOPES TO RECEIVE A RESPONSE TO PARAGRAPH 3
OF REF B ASAP, WHICH WE BELIEVE WE WILL NEED FOR FURTHER DIS-
CUSSIONS OF WFC. BYRNE

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01 JAN 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: MEETING AGENDA, FOREIGN POLICY POSITION, MEETINGS, AGRICULTURAL POLICIES, FERTILIZERS
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 28 FEB 1974
Decaption Date: 01 JAN 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: RELEASED
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Authority: morefirh
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment: 25 YEAR REVIEW
Disposition Date: 28 MAY 2004
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1974OSLO00850
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: n/a
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: N/A
Errors: N/A
Film Number: n/a
From: OSLO
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1974/newtext/t1974023/aaaaacbh.tel
Line Count: 65
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE
Office: ACTION SWF
Original Classification: LIMITED OFFICIAL USE
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators:
Previous Classification: LIMITED OFFICIAL USE
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: (A) STATE 10697; (B) OSLO 513; (C) S, TATE 34457
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Authority: morefirh
Review Comment: n/a
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 28 MAY 2002
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review History: RELEASED <28 MAY 2002 by rowelle0>; APPROVED <10 JUN 2002 by morefirh>
Review Markings:

Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
30 JUN 2005

Review Media Identifier:
Review Referrals: n/a
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: WORLD FOOD CONFERENCE--NORWEGIAN THOUGHTS ON FIRST PREPCOM
TAGS: AORG, EAGR, NO, UN, FAO
To: STATE
Type: TE
Markings: Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005